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DEPT PASS NCAR BOULDER FOR DR. DAVID ATLAS; NOAA; NSF;
NOAA BOULDER FOR DR. BYRON PHILLIPS

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: TGEN, SENV, EAGR, AR, OTRA (PEINADO ING. OSVALDO A.)

SUBJ: ARGENTINE HAIL SUPPRESSION EXPERIMENT

REF: (A) BA A-351 (1974); (B) DEPT A -1060

1. SCIENTIFIC DIRECTOR OF ARGENTINE HAIL SUPPRESSION EXPERIMENT JOSE MIGUEL NUNEZ HAS CALLED AT EMBASSY TO REQUEST ASSISTANCE IN ARRANGING APPROPRIATE U.S. VISITS FOR ING. PREINADO, WHO IS PROJECT CHIEF ENGINEER, STATIONED IN MENDOZA.

2. PEINADO EXPECTS TO DEPART BUENOS AIRES THIS WEEK AND WILL FIRST VISIT CANADA TO OBSERVE ALBERTA HAIL PROJECT. AFTER THIS, HE WOULD LIKE TO VISIT NCAR BOULDER AND MEET WITH APPROPRIATE PERSONNEL ON NHRE. HE WOULD ALSO HOPE TO SEE DR. PHILLIPS AT NOAA IN BOULDER. IF HE COULD VISIT A HAIL SUPPRESSION ACTIVITY, IT WOULD BE MOST USEFUL.

3. AFTER COLORADO VISIT, ING. PEINADO PLANS TRAVEL TO NORMAN, OKLA. AND MAY WISH ALSO VISIT NOAA NATIONAL SEVERE STORMS FORECAST CENTER IN KANSAS CITY. HE MUST RETURN TO BUENOS AIRES WITHIN 30 DAYS OF HIS DEPARTURE.

4. DR. NUNEZ EXPRESSED HOPE THAT THIS VISIT WILL HELP STRENGTHEN
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GIVEN TIES BETWEEN U.S. AND ARGENTINE HAIL SUPPRESSION PROGRAMS,

A HOPE WHICH THIS EMBASSY SHARES. TO EXTENT IT IS FEASIBLE TO DISCUSS WITH PEINADO WAYS AND MEANS OF IMPLEMENTING ANY PART OF CNIE'S EARLIER REQUEST (REFAIR A) OR OF ADDITIONAL MATTERS WHICH WE UNDERSTAND HAVE BEEN MENTIONED IN CNIE CORRESPONDENCE WITH NCAR AND NOAA, THIS WOULD BE ADVANTAGEOUS, IN OUR VIEW, TO U.S.-ARGENTINE RELATIONS AND TO HELPING SOLVE AN IMPORTANT AGRICULTURAL PROBLEM.

4. ACTION REQUESTED: ADVISE SOONEST AS TO FEASIBILITY OF PEINADO VISITS.
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NOTE BY OC/T: NOT PASSED NCAR BOULDER.

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